

DECATUR MORNING REVIEW

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 14, 1891.

10 CENTS A WEEK.

Ladies' Boudoir Slippers,

Three Shades.

LADIES' Prince Alberts

Are the Newest.

LADIES' ENGLISH Blucher Oxfords

Latest Style.

LADIES' Southern Ties

Black Cloth Tops.

LADIES' Cleopatra Slippers

All Widths in Black Ooze.

LADIES' Military Boots and Oxfords

Burt's Make.

LADIES' New Oxfords

Just Received at

Powers, SHOE STORE

LADIES'

Fine Kid Boots

75c A PAIR.

MEN'S FINE SHOES

Lace and Congress, worth \$2.

They Can be Yours for \$1 AT

Powers

THE BUSINESS WORLD.

A Great Combination of Flouring Mills.

CAPITAL STOCK NEARLY \$3,000,000.

List of the Companies which Comprise the New Combine—Proceedings of the National Millers' Association at the New York Convention—Failure of a Large Wholesale Clothing House with Liabilities of Nearly \$1,000,000.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 13.—The great Minneapolis mill combine, with a capital of nearly \$3,000,000, went into effect Tuesday. With the exception of the Pittsburgh-Washburn English syndicate it is the largest combination of flouring mills in the world. It is not yet known that the company will be called the Northwestern Consolidated Mill company. The officers have not yet been chosen, though it is stated A. C. Loring of Minneapolis will become general manager. The capital of the new company will be divided into common and preferred stock, \$1,000,000 of which is to be preferred and the remainder common. The companies which will form the new concern are the Columbia Mill company, the Galaxy Mill company, and the Sibley-Fletcher-Holmes company.

The Price of Two Mills.

They have also purchased and will control the Pettit mill and the Crown roller mill, owned respectively by Pettit, Christian & Co. and the Christian Bros.' Mill company. The price of the Crown roller mill was approximately \$300,000, and of the Pettit mill about \$170,000. The relative value of the property of the Columbia, Galaxy, and the Sibley-Fletcher-Holmes company mill will be determined by a board of appraisers consisting of Maj. W. D. Hale, formerly of the Washburn Mill company, and William Delano of the Water Power company.

Upon their appraisal will depend the amount of stock in the new company which the stockholders of the old concern will be entitled to.

THE MILLERS' ASSOCIATION.

Proceedings of the Convention at New York—Election of Officers.

NEW YORK, May 13.—The National Millers' Association at their meeting in the produce exchange Tuesday re-elected President A. R. James of Buffalo, and Secretary Frank Barry of Milwaukee. The other officers elected were H. L. Halliday, of Cairo, Ills., vice president; L. C. Porter, of Winona, Minn., second vice president; C. S. Seaman, of Milwaukee, treasurer. Efforts to establish a tracing bureau did not meet altogether with success, but finally the executive committee was empowered to allow all the tracing necessary, provided the expenses are met by the individual members calling for the tracing.

Off for Europe.

Many instances are reported where four in transit is lost, but the majority thought that only million in the export market was lost in this war, and the objection to a tracing bureau was based on the statement that the vast majority in the association should not be called upon to pay expenses which would only benefit a few.

A resolution petitioning congress to compel common carriers to adopt a uniform bill of lading was adopted. Wednesday morning seventy-five of the millers sailed on the City of New York for Europe. The others sailed up the Hudson on the Grand Republic.

A BIG FIRM IN TROUBLE.

Levy Bros. & Co., of New York, owe nearly \$1,000,000.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Levy Bros. & Co., one of the large wholesale clothing houses on Lower Broadway, closed their doors Tuesday, owing nearly \$1,000,000. The firm is composed of Julius Levy, senior partner; Augustus H. Levy, and others. Their place of business is 612 Broadway. It was said in the drygoods district that the National Park bank had obtained an attachment against the firm for \$90,000. The rumor of the failure spread rapidly and caused much gossip. They owe many of the leading firms in the drygoods district amounts varying from \$4,000 to \$50,000.

Assets Over \$500,000.

Mr. Otto Horwitz, of Horwitz & Herschfeld, attorneys for the Park National bank, said: "Levy Bros. & Co.'s failure will be a disastrous one, I am afraid. The liabilities will be at least \$75,000 and may reach \$1,000,000 or more, and I don't believe the assets will realize over \$500,000. The fact that they are in the hands of the sheriff under attachment proceedings will not conduce to an amicable settlement of the firm's trouble."

Pullman Cars in Iowa.

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 13.—The decision of the United States supreme court, holding that Pennsylvania can tax the Pullman Car company on its mileage in that state, will result in the collection of about \$25,000 of back taxes by the county treasurers of Iowa. For four years the executive council has been assessing Pullman stock and additional taxes on the collection of the county treasurers from collecting the taxes. Suit was brought to compel the payment of the tax, but the suit was pending the hearing of the Pennsylvania case.

Will Try to Evangelize Ireland.

NEW YORK, May 13.—The Rev. D. Samson McBride, pastor of the Centennial Baptist church, in Delphi street, Brooklyn, has surprised his congregation by tendering his resignation to take effect on June 1. He explained that his new field of labor would be under the direction of the American Association for the Evangelization of Ireland. It is the intention of the association to raise \$75,000 in this country to found a building in Dublin, from which evangelists will be sent out to different parts of Ireland.

Big Shipment of Flour.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 13.—More than 7,000 barrels of American flour were shipped to St. John's, N. F., by the steamer *Noa Scotian*, which left this port a few days ago.

An Unhappy Young Couple.

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A Bewitching Ex-Widow in Trouble.

COLUMBUS, O., May 13.—Mrs. Fannie S. Carter, a bewitching widow of Boston, came here four years ago, and afterward married a wild-to-do man named Bell. Tuesday she was arrested, and is held awaiting the Boston authorities, for grand larceny, alleged to have been committed in Boston May 11, 1887, of diamonds and jewelry valued at \$800.

Tale's Oldest Graduate Dead.

MONTGOMERY, Vt., May 13.—Rev. Dr. J. D. Wickham, Tale's oldest graduate, is dead—aged 94. He was a member of the class of 1815.

WHAT MEXICO WILL DO.

If the Itata Enters Acapulco Harbor She Will Be Seized.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—The Call has an interview with A. E. Coney, Mexican consul general at this port, in regard to the probable action of the Mexican government if the Itata entered the port of Acapulco. He says Acapulco is a neutral port and he is confident that the Charleton will not be permitted to seize the Itata there. But if the Itata enters there with contraband goods on board it is probable that the Mexican officials will train the guns of the fort on her and seize her themselves. The fort is not very powerful one, but is strong enough to capture the Itata.

The Charleston Sighted.

SAN DIKOO, Cal., May 13.—The cruiser Charleston was sighted far out to sea on Monday night by the steamer Crescent City, which arrived at Cedros island Tuesday night. The passengers were about ten miles below Ensenada the Charleston was sighted. The cruiser immediately changed her course and made for the Crescent City. When the Charleston approached the captain of the Crescent City hoisted the American flag and saluted. The Charleston then steamed away to the southwest and was soon lost to sight. Nothing was seen of the Itata.

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WESTERN NEWS—The Itata will be seized if she enters Acapulco Harbor.

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WHAT YOU MAY NEED

IN THE

MERRY MONTH OF MAY!

A nobby Flannel Coat and Vest.
A nobby Black or White Straw Hat.
A nobby Neck Tie—Windsor, Four-in-Hand, or Puff.
A nobby Neglige Shirt.
A nobby Spring Suit in the proper style.
If so, call and see what we have to show you.

JOHN G. CLOYD,
CROKER,
44 E. Main. - Decatur.

Telephone 28.

SCHOOLCRAFT
HARD, LUMP AND NUT
COAL.

Telephone No. 3.

835 E. EL DORADO ST.

MORNING REVIEW

THURSDAY MAY 14, 1891.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

K. P.—Regular convention of Gouraud Leon Lodge No. 17, R. of P. this (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Work in Rank of Page and Exquire. Resident knight in regular standing. Invited guests—G. W. S. Surface, C. C.; F. W. Wismer, R. of R. S.

MASONIC—O. E. S.—Regular meeting of Decatur Chapter No. 20, O. E. S. this (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock. Salute J. Steele, W. M. Nellie C. Howes, Sec.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Genuine cream strawberry crush soda water, only 5 cents, at Irwin's pharmacy.

All the latest shades in Mousquetaire Suede gloves at Lunn & Scruggs D. G. & Co.

Go to George P. Hart for all kinds of upholstering. Library block.

Can you afford
Or Fords

When you can get
them for 50¢ at Power's.

Strawberry short cake and angel cake at Eisenman's, 733 North Water street.

"Centemer" kid gloves in all the new spring shades and black. Perfection of fit and wear guaranteed at Lunn & Scruggs' D. G. & Co.

You can get anything you want at the Economy grocery to-day. Telephone 68.

Henry Bros.' bakery is the place for a good meal or lunch. Bread delivered to any part of the city.

Genuine strawberry crush ice cream soda, only a nickel, at Irwin's pharmacy.

Three good upright pianos for rent or sale at low prices on easy terms at Prescott's.

The chocolate ice cream soda at Irwin's pharmacy is very delicious.

The Y. W. C. T. U. will have a strawberry social this evening at the Y. W. C. T. U. rooms. An interesting program. Admission free.

Call at Bicycle Headquarters and see the new light Rambler built especially for ladies. Tangent spokes, cushioned tire, rams horn handle bars, only \$125. It is a beauty.

A complete assortment of "Centemer" Suede gloves in all lengths and shades. Also silk mitts in evening shade in any length. Kid gloves purchased of us will be fitted to the hand if desired and skillfully refined if needed, free of charge. Lunn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

You can see all the latest styles in summer millinery at Miss Emma Williams' millinery parlor on South Park street.

You are invited to call and see my summer millinery. Miss Emma Williams, South Park street.

We have the Miller Lawn Mower, the cheapest and best. See it.

E. G. ALLEN & BRO.

You will find the best carpets, latest and most desirable styles, and lowest prices at Lunn & Scruggs' Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

Look out for the bargains, within the next few days, that have been purchased by our Mr. Morris, who is still in the Eastern markets, and will be placed on sale here.

Buy your wall paper and window shades of Blank & Grass. Best assortment, lowest prices.

Come and see the largest line of Carriages, Surreys, Phaetons, Buggies, Road Wagons and Carts, at the lowest prices ever shown in this city, at E. G. ALLEN & BRO's.

Lunn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company are agents for the celebrated Centimer kid gloves, the best fitting, the best wearing, handsomest and cheapest kid gloves in the world.

Our tailoring department is now complete with all the latest fabrics—foreign and domestic. A very select line of chevrons for business suits and a very large and choice line of high grade worsteds for dress. Remember we make a specialty of full dress suits, the equal of any made in any of the large cities and at a much more satisfactory figure; also exclusive designs for the celebrated Dunlap hat in derby and silks. Inspection desired at any time. Place your orders before the busy season begins.

I. W. EHRLICH.

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At Bicycle Headquarters, 114 William street, Library block, you will find, to make choice from, over 100 bicycles, at prices that defy successful competition. (We are in it.) Come and see our \$40 30-inch front and rear wheel safety; also our combination 24-inch front and rear wheel safety at \$18; also our 30-inch for \$8.50. Others at proportionately reasonable terms.

New Blarney gloves in tame, modes, greys, browns and English tame at Lunn & Scruggs D. G. & Co.

Headquarters Decatur Zouaves.

May 13, 1891.

Special Order No. 3—All members of the Decatur Zouaves are ordered to report at 456 North Main street at 10 a.m. tomorrow in full uniform with gun. Arrangements have been made to be excused from school.

WILL Housum, Capt.

Strawberry Festival Tonight.

There will be a strawberry festival at the Christian church tonight. Strawberries and other delicacies will be served. Come and have a social time. No admission fee.

Make Your Wife Happy.

your residence attractive and rooms cool and comfortable by having Chamberlain & Co. put up awnings to your windows. Call and see them in Library block.

For Sale Cheap.

One 50 H. P. engine and 50 H. P. boiler with water heater and everything complete ready to step up and run.

DECATUR FURNITURE CO.

98 Degrees Heater

your rooms will be unless windows are protected by awnings. We carry the largest stock of striped ever shown in the city and make them right and price right. Call and see us.

W. D. CHAMBERLAIN & CO.

Library Block.

Please Note the Fact.

that you can obtain all the patterns illustrated in Butterick's Delineator at their agents, Lunn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company.

Wonderful if True.

If Powers is selling the shoes that he advertises in his display advertisement no one ought to go barefooted in Decatur.

All Kinds of Flower Plants.

Now is the time to get your flowers. Order of N. Bonniersbach, 708 Spring avenue.

Ferriss & Lapham

Shoe store, 148 E. Main St.

Everything new and first class. If you want good bread give me a trial. My pies and cakes are the best in the city. I also carry a general line of the freshest and best Confectioneries in the market. Goods delivered to any part of the city. Don't forget the place.

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CHEAP CHARLEY. HANDSOME Spring :: Styles!

HOBBY CUTAWAY SUITS.

FINE SACK SUITS

ELEGANT SPRING Overcoats.

Fashionable TROUSERS.

Thousands of Boys' and Children's SUITS.

FINE HATS.

DRESS SHIRTS

Spare a few minutes of your time and step into our store. We would be pleased to show you our monster stock of new spring goods. The variety of fine cutaway and sack suits, spring overcoats, trousers, boys, and children's suits, hats and furnishing goods is truly enormous, eight floors full. Our line contains everything that is new and desirable, and the fit and style of the garment outrank any thing ever produced in this line; and you will be well repaid for your time and trouble when you purchase our extremely low prices.

CHEAP CHARLEY'S MAMMOTH CLOTHING HOUSE, Corner Merchant and Main Streets.

THE
HATFIELD MILLING CO.
Manufacture the Celebrated

WHITE FOAM
—AND—
WHITE BREAD FLOUR

For sale by all leading grocers. None better in the market. All kinds of mill feed. Highest Market price paid for wheat.

MORE ESPECIALLY

To our millinery patrons, Miss Annie McDonald goes to Chicago Monday, April 12. Will return and be at the store Thursday morning ready to receive and execute all orders for the new and beautiful in her department.

Largest stock, best selections, newest ideas, better class of work and lower prices than obtain elsewhere. Inspection solicited.

The committee of arrangements appointed by Mayor Chambers, met yesterday and prepared such a program as was possible under the circumstances. The result of their deliberations are announced as follows:

The train is due here from Springfield at 11:30.

The president's car will stop on the east side of the depot building.

In conjunction with Mayor Chambers, Hon. S. J. Jack, Hon. W. C. Johns, Dr. John T. Hubbard and Dr. William A. Barnes are appointed committee on reception.

W. H. Brumble is appointed to erect and decorate a platform on the south side of the I. D. & W. track.

B. O. McReynolds, Otto E. Curtis and Orville Gorn are appointed a finance committee to collect sufficient funds for band platform, etc.

M. F. Kanan, post commander G. A. R., will have charge of the Post, Sons of Veterans and all civic and military organizations.

An invitation is extended to all societies or organizations to participate and to report to Commander M. F. Kanan at the corner of South Water and Wood streets at 10:15 sharp.

An invitation is extended to all teachers, school children and citizens to be at the depot.

The platform for the president will front a level grass covered plot, with sufficient room for all to see and hear and a safe place for school children and others.

Owing to the position of the surroundings carriages cannot be allowed on the grounds within hearing or seeing distance, and it is requested that all either take a street car or walk.

The Reception Committee will receive the president and escort him to the stand. Mayor Chambers will make a brief address of welcome, and then opportunity will be afforded President Harrison to respond. It is thought that is about all there will be time for.

The Military.

In accordance with the suggestion made by the committee, Captain M. F. Kanan requests the members of Dunham post 141 and J. L. Pugh camp, Sons of Veterans, to meet at post hall at 10:15 this morning. In uniform. All other military and civic organizations that will take part in the exercises are requested to be there at the same time. They will be assigned to a place in line.

Beyond Decatur

The I. D. & W. railway is making special efforts to take the president over its road with satisfaction to him and the company. Superintendent L. A. Boyd arrived in Decatur last night to see that everything was all right. A special time card has been issued for today only. It has a title page that states it is for the benefit of President Harrison and party. A pilot train will run about 10 minutes ahead of the president's train. It will be in charge of Conductor Lemon. The presidential train will be in charge of Conductor Robert Lawson and will be drawn by Engineer Charley Ferguson, at the throttle of the 12.

At Tuscola a stop of about 30 minutes will be made. A platform has been erected there and a demonstration will be made by the people.

The Schools.

The first two grades in the schools will be dismissed this morning. The other grades will be dismissed during the morning in time for the pupils to get to the depot and see the train come in. Superintendent Gaston has arranged to bear just when the train will arrive.

To Parents.

In order that you may take the children with you to see the president, there will be no school this forenoon in the first and second grades. School as usual in the afternoon. The teachers will be in their rooms at the usual time this morning.

E. A. GASTON.

Funeral of J. R. Boyer.

The large residence on North Jackson street was completely filled yesterday by many friends who attended the funeral of John R. Boyer. A great many went who could not find room in the house. They remained on the front porch and in the yard.

The services were conducted by Rev. G. E. Springer, of Stapp's chapel. He preached a funeral sermon and closed with a beautiful tribute to Mr. Boyer, speaking of his life, his unequalled abilities, his character and many admirable qualities. The music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mrs. A. V. Conklin, Miss Minnie Pitts, Bert Johnson and Sherman McClelland. The songs they sang were, "Jesus Lover of My Soul," "Abide with Me," and "It is Well."

The funeral procession was headed by Goodman's band, which escorted the Masons. Following the band were the employees of F. B. Tait & Co. One carried a handsome floral pile, a broken wheel, Ionic lodge, No. 312, A. F. & A. M., of which Mr. Boyer was a member came next, immediately preceding the hearse. Beside it walked the pallbearers, who were, J. N. Baker, A. W. Conklin, Hiram Johnson, W. E. Abbott, D. S. Shellabarger and F. M. Young.

At the grave the beautiful burial service of the Masonic ritual was performed by the Masons.

He Thought Her Spiritual.

"It makes but little difference about the body," remarked a pretty young woman to another as they wandered north on Water street last evening, and a clergyman who was walking just behind them was delighted because he thought there was one woman looking for spiritual happiness. The fair speaker continued: "All I care about is the skirt," and the look that came over the minister's face as he realized that she was talking of fashionable things instead of spiritual, would freeze the contents of a kettle of boiling water.

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